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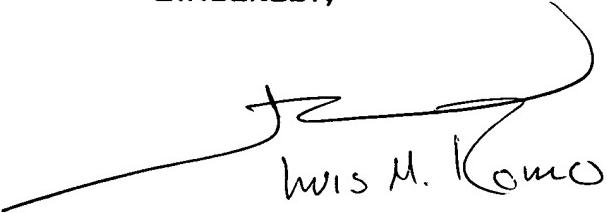
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I, LUIS M. ROMO, AN AMERICAN CITIZEN AND A PROFESSIONAL IN THE FIELD OF INDUSTRIAL DESIGN AND RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT, RESPECTFULLY DECLARE TO BELIEVE TO BE THE INVENTOR OF THE ORIGINAL IDEA DESCRIBED IN THE ADJUNCT APPLICATION OF A:

SOLAR POWERED (PHOTOVOLTAIC) – ELECTROLUMINISCENT EXTRUDED DEVICE.

I HAVE REVIEWED AND UNDERSTAND THE CONTENTS OF ITS SPECIFICATION, INCLUDING THE CLAIMS AND ANY AMENDMENTS OF THE INFORMATION SUBMITTED AND DECLARE FOR THEM TO BE TRUTHFUL AND RELEVANT TO THE PROCESS OF GRANTING A PATENT FOR THIS INVENTION.

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Attorney Docket Number	
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Application Number	10/735,173
Filing Date	12/13/2003
Art Unit	
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I hereby declare that:

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Solar Powered (Photovoltaic) Electro Luminescent, extruded lighting device

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

is attached hereto

OR

was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) 12/13/2003 as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application Number 10/735,173 and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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